

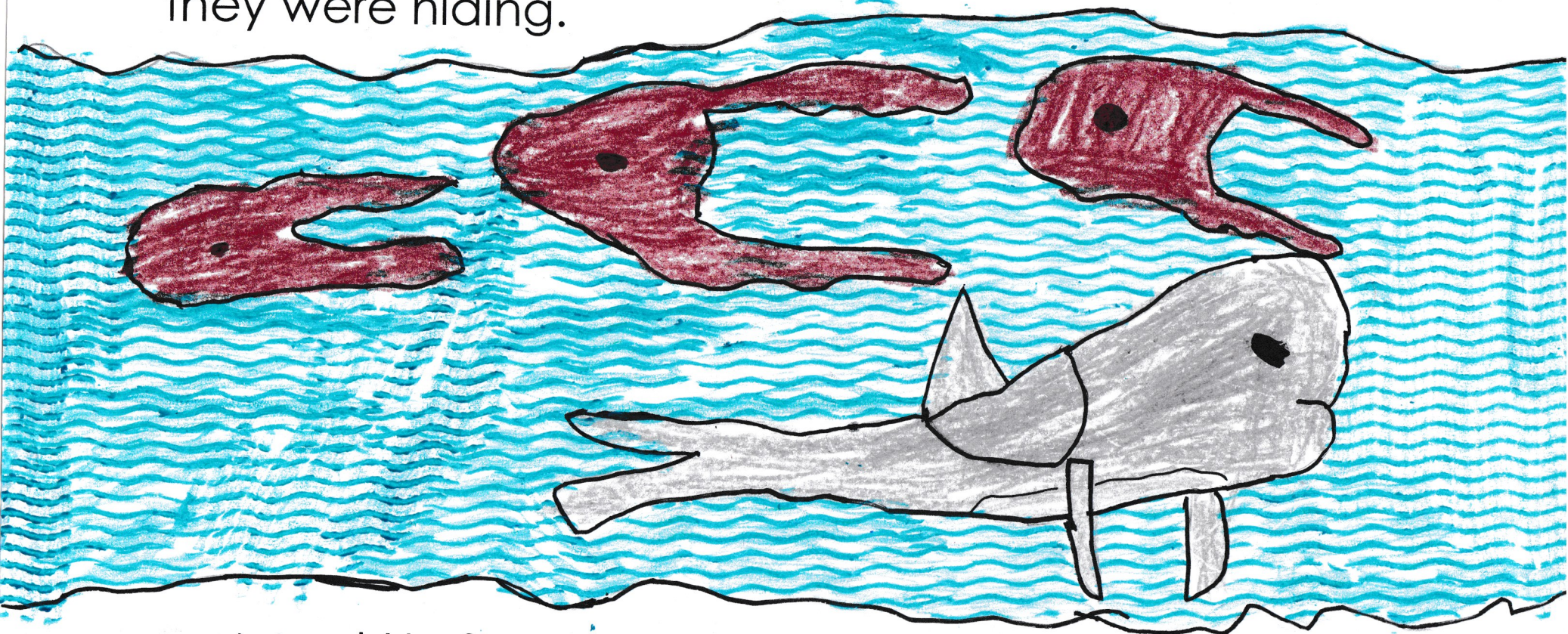
# WILLIAM the Whale



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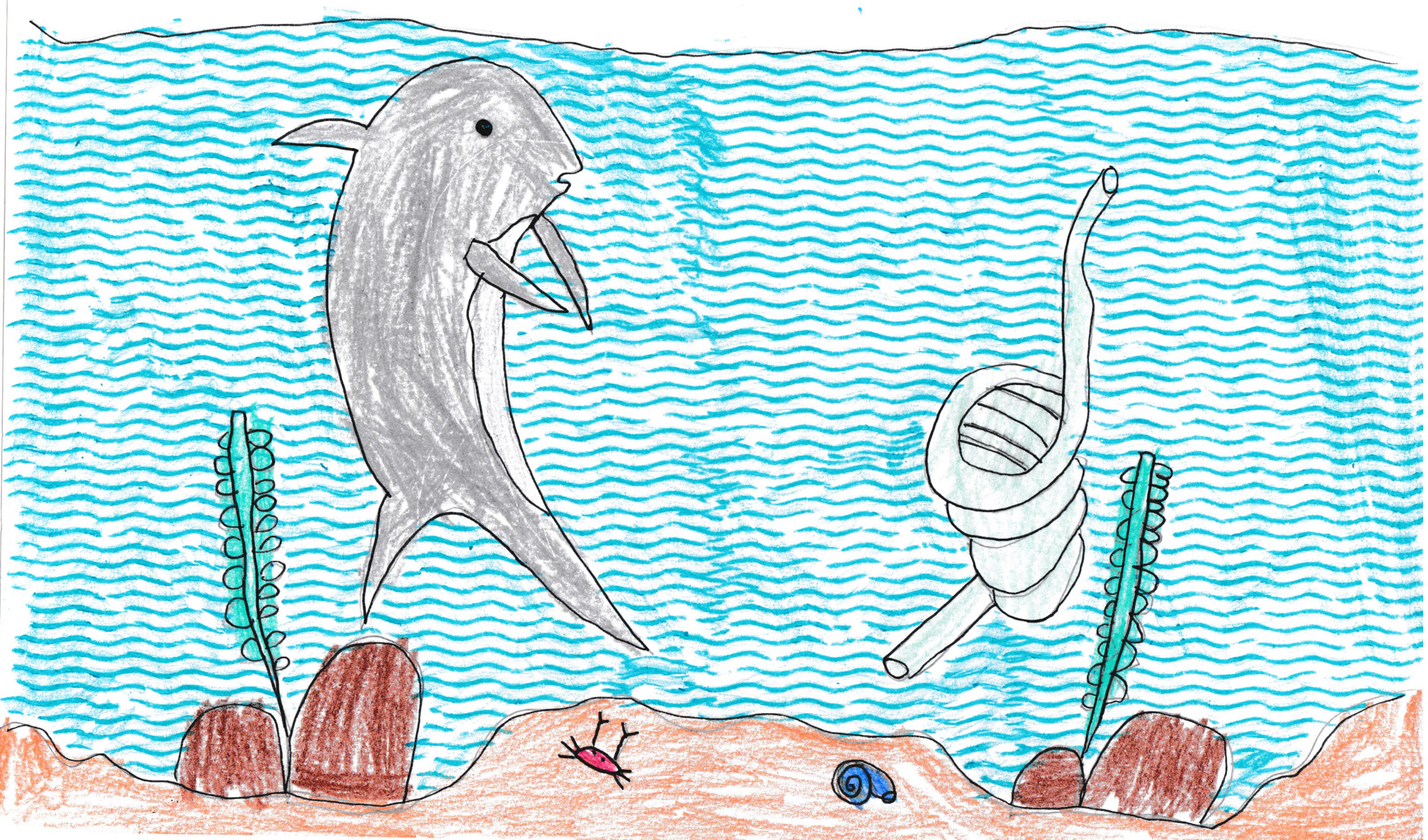
Deep in the ocean lived a whale. William the pilot whale was huge! He also had a huge problem. He was super hungry. His favorite food was squid but they were hiding.



Wow! He found a group of squid. It tasted funny, but he was still hungry.

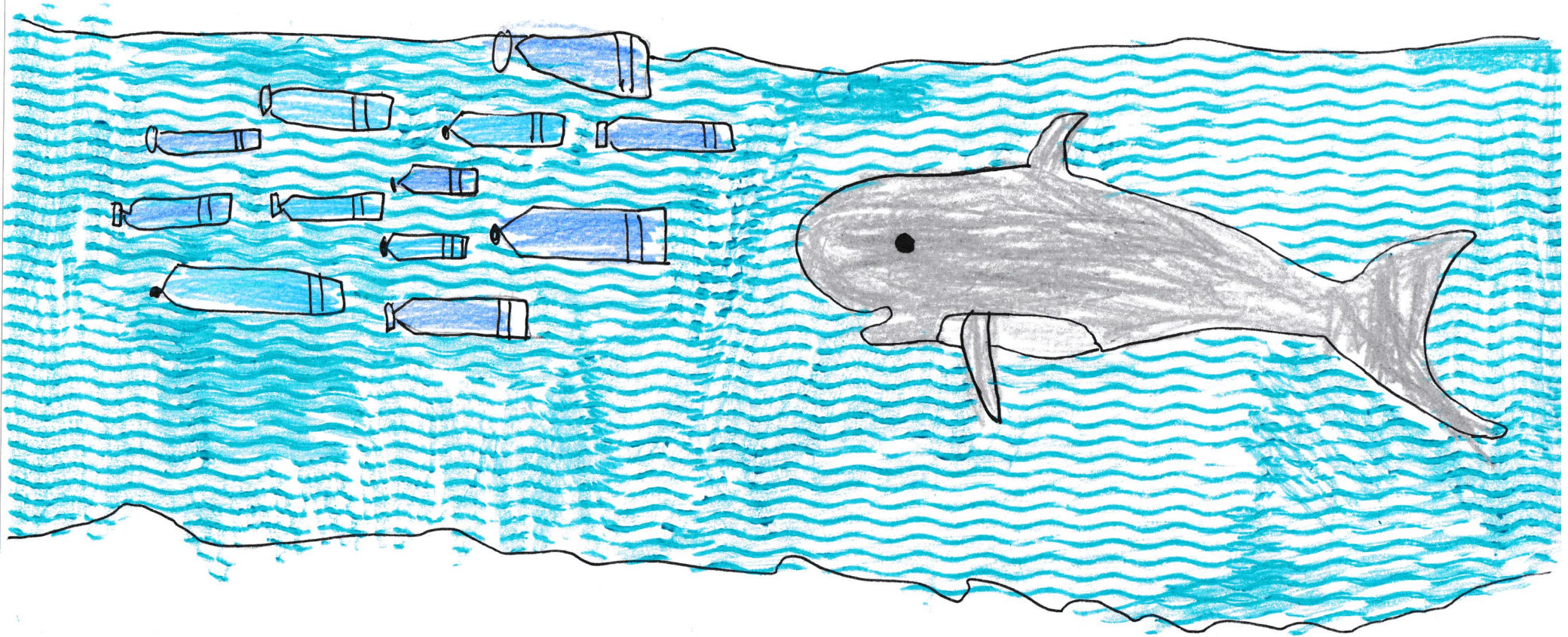


He kept swimming. He found a sea snake. He didn't like sea snakes but he ate it. He was still hungry.





Next, William found a school of Herring. He loved herring. He ate them all, but was still hungry.



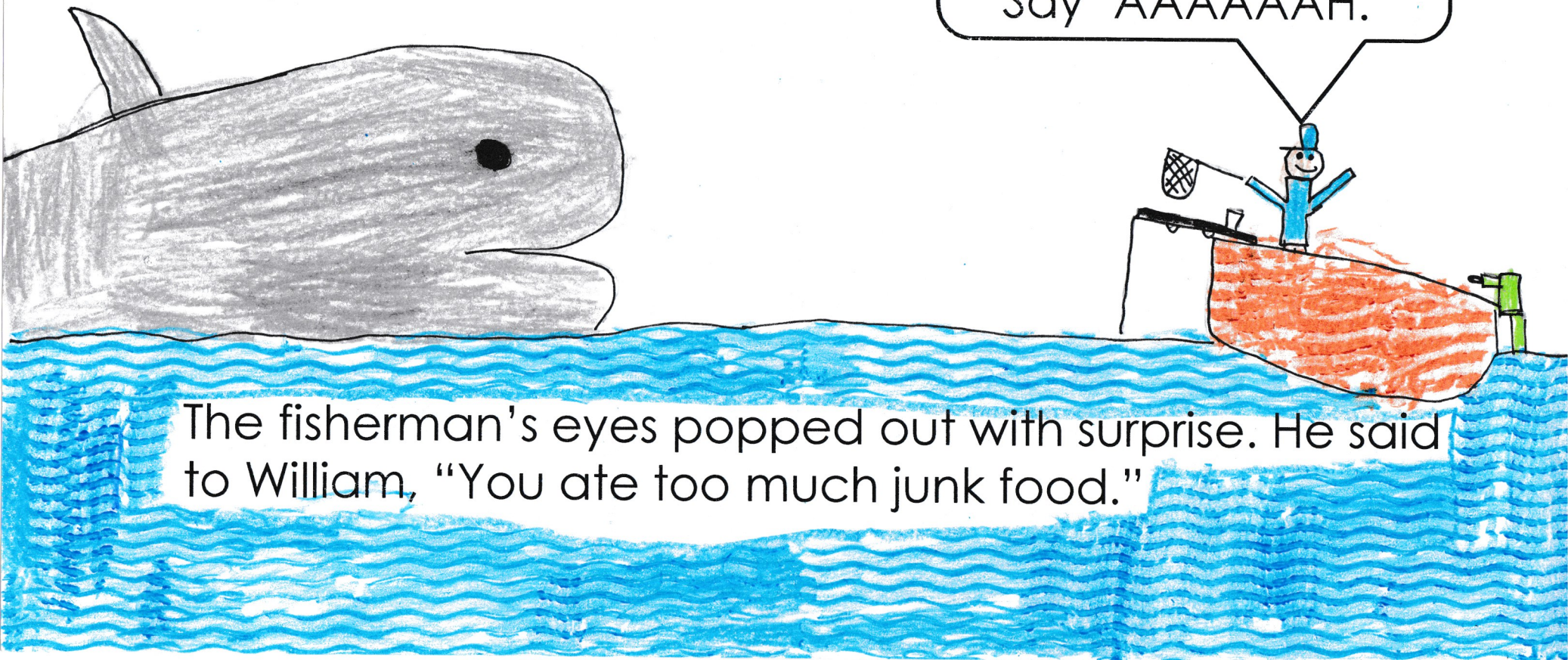
Now he had another problem. His stomach started to hurt. Maybe he was still hungry, he thought. He ate every squid, herring, and fish he found.



William the whale felt full but still hungry. His stomach hurt a lot. He did not know what to do until he met a kind fisher-man. William asked him for help:

My tummy hurts. Can you take a look?

I am not a whale-man but I can try. Say 'AAAAAAH.'



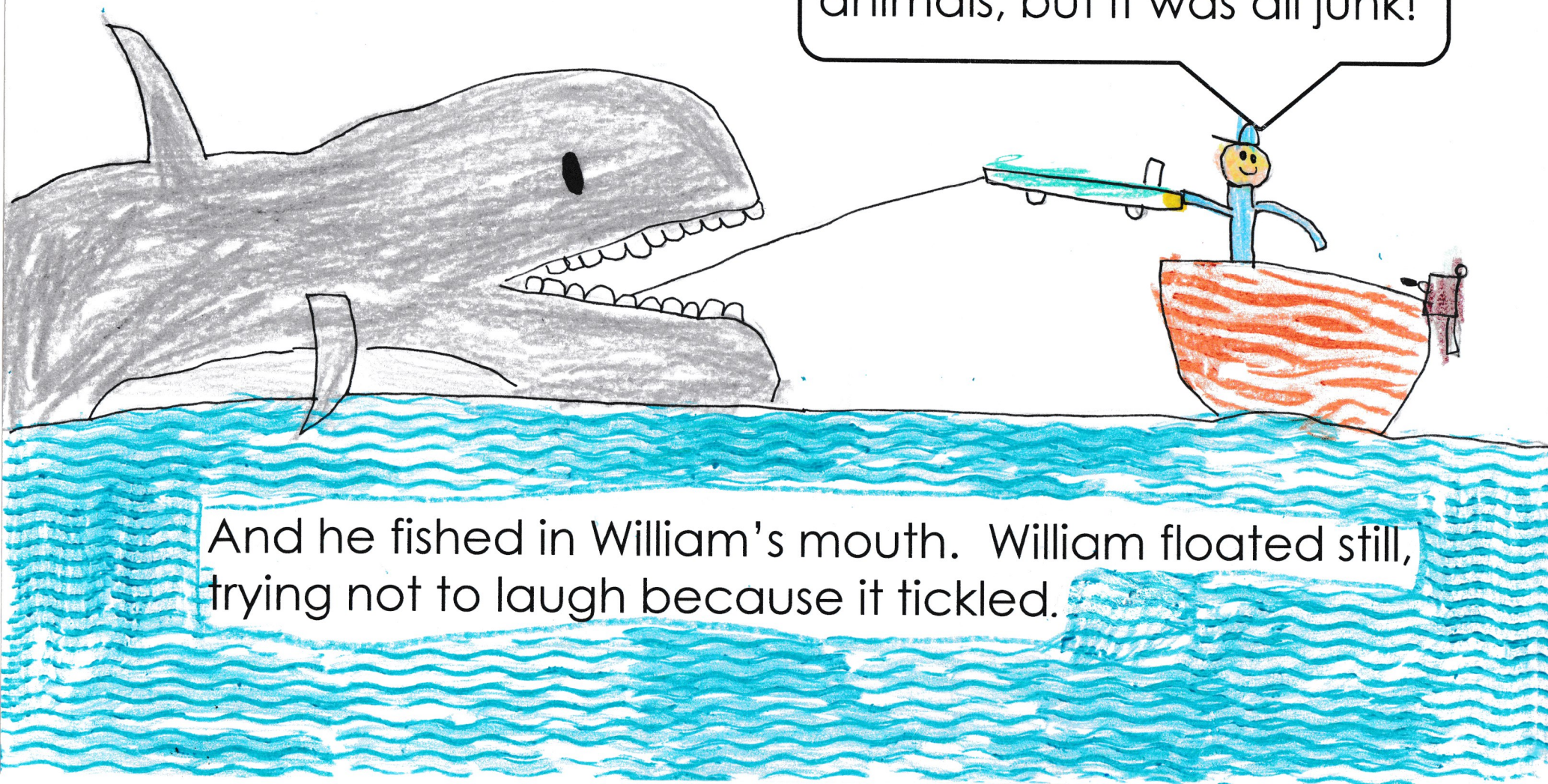
The fisherman's eyes popped out with surprise. He said to William, "You ate too much junk food."



No. I only ate what I found – Squid, fish, and stuff.

Yes, a lot of junk stuff. Hold still. Let me use my fishing rod.

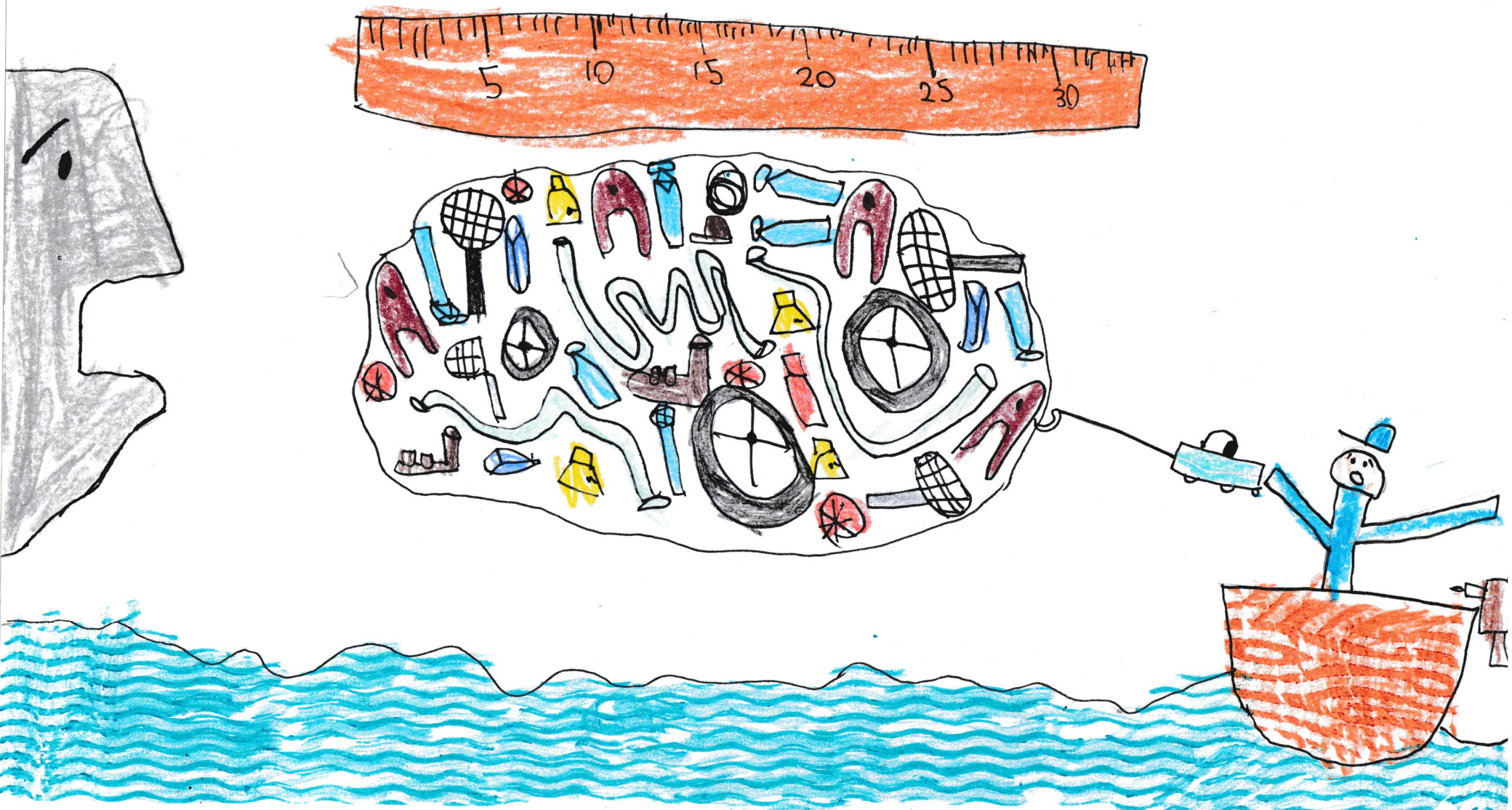
You think this was all animals, but it was all junk!



And he fished in William's mouth. William floated still, trying not to laugh because it tickled.

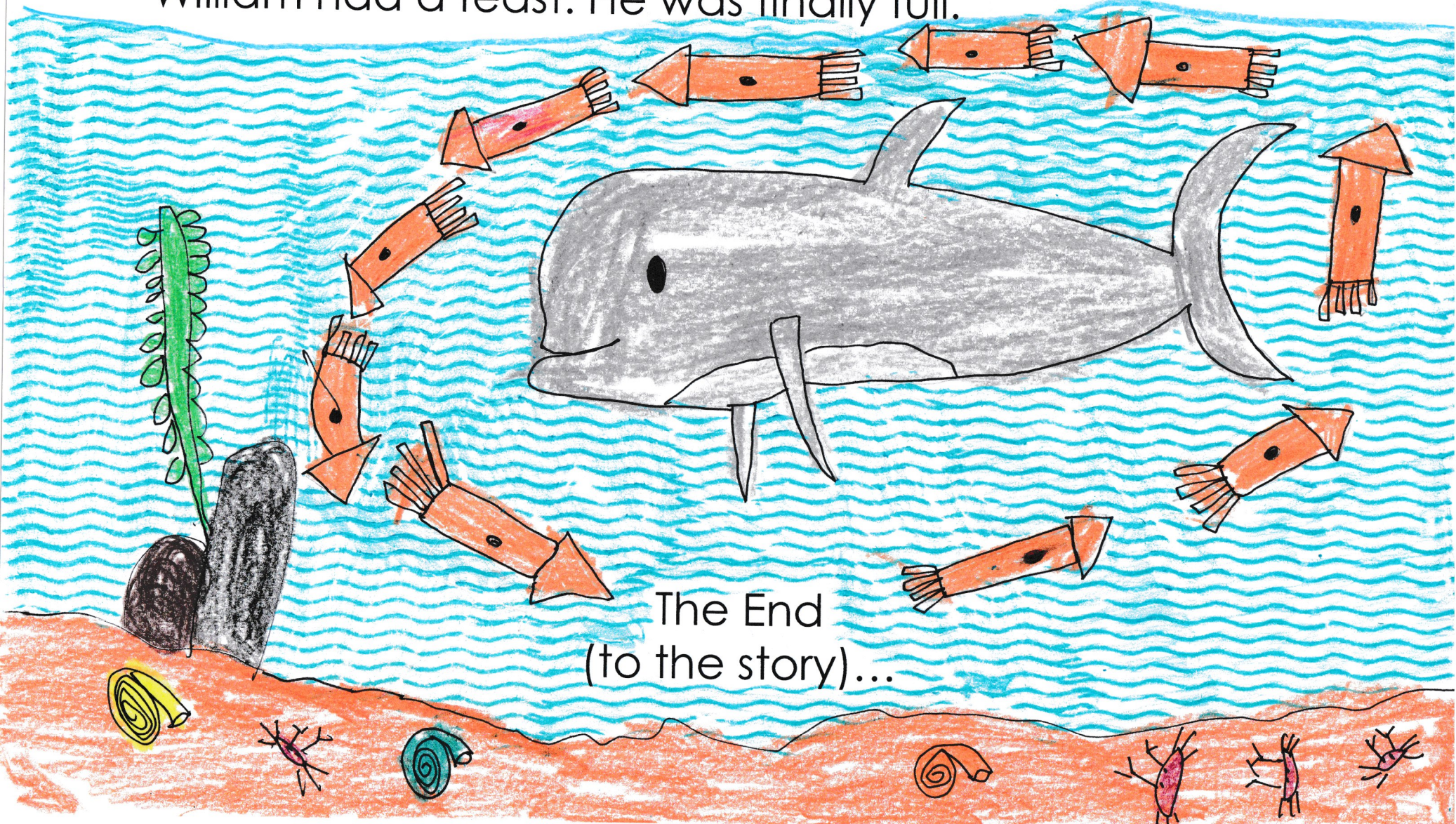


Now William's eyes popped out. The junk was all sorts of stuff.





William's stomach did not hurt now, but he was super hungry again. The fisherman led the pilot whale (who was now the "passenger" whale) to real squid and William had a feast. He was finally full.





**BUT WHAT IF...  
BY 2050 THE OCEAN HAS  
MORE PLASTIC  
THAN FISH?**

